and State Government. Instalments of grant-in-aid are released after evaluation of their performance and satisfactory inspection reports.

(c) The details of various Schemes and projects being implemented for the welfare of Scheduled Castes are available in the Annual Report which is also placed on the website of the Ministry www.socialjustice.nic.in.

Discrimination of dalits

3922. SHRI PENUMALLI MADHU:
SHRIMATI BRINDA KARAT:

Will the Minister of SOCIAL JUSTICE AND EMPOWERMENT be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that the practice of discrimination of dalits with regard to access to drinking water, entering temples and two-glass system in hotels is being practiced in the State of Andhra Pradesh; and

(b) if so, the remedial measures the Ministry intend to take to create awareness among dalits and other communities?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF SOCIAL JUSTICE AND EMPOWERMENT (SHRIMATI SUBBULAKSHMI JAGADEESAN): (a) and (b) The Government of Andhra Pradesh has intimated that no such cases have been reported in the State during 2005-06. The State Government has also launched massive awareness programmes on eradication of untouchability.

Sanction of grants to voluntary organisations

†3923. SHRI DILIP SINGH JUDEV: Will the Minister of SOCIAL JUSTICE AND EMPOWERMENT be pleased to state:

(a) the names of those new voluntary organisations engaged in welfare of disabled persons from Chhattisgarh which have been accorded sanction of grants during the last three years;

(b) the amount of grant given to them, year-wise; and

†Original notice of the question was received in Hindi.